Airspace; Liberal, KS [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-60] received March 8, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1047. A letter from the Attorney, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Hazardous Materials: Authorization for the Continued Manufacture of Certain MC 331 Cargo Tanks [Docket No. RSPA-98-4943 (HM-225B)] (RIN: 2137-AD31) received March 2, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1048. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule-Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Category Effluent Limitations Guidelines, Pretreatment Standards, and New Source Performance Standards; Final Rule [FRL-6304] (RIN: 2040-AA13) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1049. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Department's final rule-Marine Terminal Onerator Schedules [Docket No. 98-27] received February 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1050. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule-Regulations Governing Book-Entry Treasury Bonds, Notes and Bills-received February 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1051. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Issue Price in the Case of Certain Debt Instruments Issued for Property [Revenue Ruling 99-11] received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Wavs and Means.

1052. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule-Last-in, first-out inventories [Revenue Ruling 99-15] received March 8, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and

1053. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the steps taken to ensure the confidentiality of the SSANs submitted; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1054. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the eightythird Annual Report of the Federal Trade Commission, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 154(k); jointly to the Committees on Commerce and the Judiciary.

# $\P 22.4$ Message from the senate

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed a concurrent resolution of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. Con. Res. 5. Concurrent resolution expressing congressional opposition to the unilateral declaration of a Palestinian state and urging the President to assert clearly United States opposition to such a unilateral declaration of statehood.

And then,

# ¶22.5 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mrs. MINK, at 3 o'clock and 48 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶22.6 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, report of committee was delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 975. A bill to provide for a reduction in the volume of steel imports, and to establish a steel import notification and monitoring program (adversely) (Rept. No. 106-52). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

# $\P 22.7$ PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

> By Mr. COLLINS (for himself, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. Abercrombie, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. Thurman, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. BOEHLERT):

H.R. 1108. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage the production and use of electric vehicles; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. NAD-LER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. RUSH, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. WYNN, Mr. WEINER, and Mrs. McCarthy of New York):

H.R. 1109. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of outpatient prescription drugs under part B of the Medicare Program, and for other purposes: to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. POMBO: H. Con. Res. 55. A concurrent resolution congratulating His Excellency, General Vasco Joaquim Rocha Vieira, Governor of Macao, and the Macao government on the Third Meeting of the Macanese people, the "Terceiro Encontro"; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. GALLEGLY (for himself, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BALLENGER, Ms. Ros-LEHTINEN, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. DAVIS of Florida):

H. Res. 112. A resolution congratulating the Government and the people of the Republic of El Salvador on successfully completing free and democratic elections on March 7. 1999; to the Committee on International Relations

### ¶22.8 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 40: Mr. McGovern, Mr. Underwood, Ms. Waters, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 125: Mr. UNDERWOOD and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 163: Mr. VENTO, Mr. McCollum, and Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 316: Mr. MICA.

H.R. 325: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WATERS and Mr. WU.

H.R. 329: Mr. LUTHER and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 347: Mr. RYUN of Kansas.

H.R. 351: Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Stenholm. H.R. 424: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Mr. Campbell, Mrs. Cubin, Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Martinez, and Mr. Rangel.

H.R. 448: Mrs. BIGGERT.

H.R. 632: Mr. Sherman, Mr. Goss, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MAT- SUI, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SHAW, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. McKeon, and Mr. Linder.

H.R. 637: Mr. LEACH.

H.R. 701: Mr. Pickering, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, Mr. FORD, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 716: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 750: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 832: Mr. Bonior.

H.R. 886: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. Markey.

H.R. 894: Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 914: Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. McDermott, Mr. McGov-ERN, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. BROWN of Cali-

H.R. 975: Mr. Sisisky, Mr. Frost, Mr. Lu-THER, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BOYD, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. SHUSTER.

H.R. 985: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Lobiondo, and Mr. Hutchinson.

H. Con. Res. 24: Mr. Thornberry, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Castle, Mr. Pitts, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TURNER, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. WAMP, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. SCAR-BOROUGH, Mr. JENKINS, and Mr. CHAMBLISS.

H. Con. Res. 37: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. Moore, Mr. SNYDER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. SHOWS.

H. Res. 105: Mr. Brown of California, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. Frost, Ms. Pelosi, Mr. Underwood, Mr. Holden, Mr. Forbes, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mrs. Mink of Hawaii, Mr. Lantos, Mr. Gejdenson, Mrs. Thurman, Mr. Cummings, Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Traficant, Mr. McDermott, Mrs. Clay-TON, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. GOODLING, Ms. RIV-ERS. Mr. POMBO, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. LAHOOD. Mr. Watts of Oklahoma, and Mr. English.

# TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1999 (23)

### ¶23.1 APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, who laid before the House the following communication:

> WASHINGTON, DC, March 16, 1999.

I hereby appoint the Honorable Constance A. Morella to act as Speaker pro tempore J. DENNIS HASTERT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 19, 1999, Members were recognized for "morning-hour debate".

## ¶23.2 RECESS—10:06 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 10 o'clock 6 minutes a.m. until 11 o'clock a.m.

## $\P 23.3$ AFTER RECESS—11 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LIN-DER, called the House to order.

### ¶23.4 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LIN-DER, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, March 15, 1999.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.